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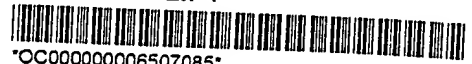
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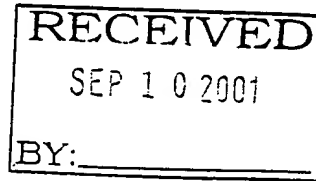
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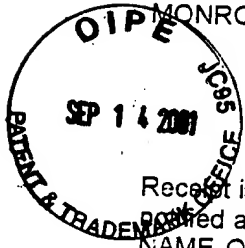


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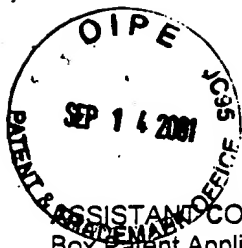
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- ☒ Specification (7 Pages), Claims (4 pages), Abstract (1 page) and (5 sheet(s) of Informal Drawings)
- ☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney
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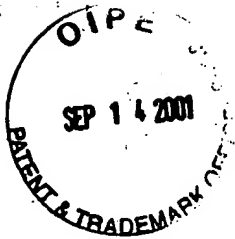
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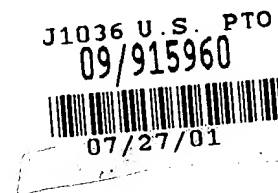
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